

NEWS RELEASE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE 4050 Main Street Riverside, CA 92501

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RIVERSIDE SUPERIOR COURT RESTORATION OF SERVICES IN PROBATE MATTERS

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY:

Effective Monday, May 11, 2020, the court will rescind the court holiday provision for all non-emergency probate filings which was enacted pursuant to Government Code section 68115.

This notice outlines the restoration of services in probate case matters.

Clerk's Offices

Emergency Matters

Clerk's offices at the Larson Justice Center (Indio), Southwest Justice Center (Murrieta), and Hall of Justice (Riverside) will remain open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for processing the emergency matters as follows:

- Temporary Guardianship Petitions;
- Temporary Conservatorship Petitions;
- Petitions for Special Administration
- Ex-Parte Applications;
- Elder Abuse Restraining Orders;
- Stipulations;
- Minor's Compromise; and
- Riese Hearings

Non-Emergency Matters

Customers may continue to file non-emergency documents in one of three ways:

Online via the eSubmit Document Submission Portal at https://www.riverside.courts.ca.gov/FormsFiling/ESubmit/esubmit.php

The eSubmit program allows court customers to electronically deliver documents to the court securely via the internet. The eSubmit fee of \$1.85 is suspended through June 30, 2020.

- Mailed or delivered to the court for processing. Addresses can be found on the court's website; or
- By placement in a drop box at any of the open justice centers. Drop boxes are available for customers to drop off filings for submission to the clerk's office.

Courtroom Proceedings

In-Person Proceedings

Effective May 18, 2020, the court will resume in-person hearings on elder abuse restraining orders at each of the open justice centers. Notices of dates, times, and locations of in-person hearings will be mailed to parties.

Telephonic Appearances

Effective June 15, 2020, the court will resume all probate calendars telephonically with the exception of hearings on elder abuse restraining orders, contested hearings, and trials. Notices of dates, times and locations of telephonic hearings will be mailed to parties.

For more information on the Court's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, please visit the COVID-19 Court Operations website.

Electronic version available at https://riverside.courts.ca.gov/GeneralInfo/MediaInfo/media-info.php

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